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1. भारत सरकार, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. File No. 56-1/2026-27/CGHS/MSD, E-file No. 8392910, dated 01-09-2026 – CGHS के अंतर्गत चयनित STC-संबंधित मामलों की स्वीकृति प्रक्रिया का विकेंद्रीकरण/ Decentralization of approval procedure for selected STC-related cases under CGHS.

2. भारत सरकार, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. No. A.III/CGHS/C/Emp. of Hospitals/2026/1430, दिनांक 07.09.2026 – कोयंबटूर स्थित Aswin Polyclinic Private Limited को CGHS, चेन्नई पैनल में शामिल किया जाना / Fresh Empanelment of Aswin Polyclinic Private Limited, Coimbatore under CGHS, Chennai.

3. भारत सरकार, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, फाइल संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., Z/28015/CGHS/BNG/EMP/2025, दिनांक 08.09.2026 – मैसूर स्थित M/s Kamakshi Hospital का CGHS, बेंगलुरु के अंतर्गत पैनल में शामिल किए जाना / Empanelment of M/s Kamakshi Hospital, Mysuru under CGHS, Bengaluru.

4. भारत सरकार, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. No. A.III/CGHS/C/Emp. of Hospitals/2026/1485, दिनांक 15.09.2026 – चेन्नई स्थित M/s Metropolis Healthcare Limited को CGHS, चेन्नई के पैनल में शामिल किया जाना / Fresh Empanelment of M/s. Metropolis Healthcare Limited, Chennai under CGHS, Chennai.

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7. स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. No. 112-55/CGHS/KOL/Empanelment/2026/1978, दिनांक 17.09.2026 – सीजीएचएस, कोलकाता के अंतर्गत नेहरू मेमोरियल टेक्नो ग्लोबल हॉस्पिटल का नवीन पैनल में शामिल किया जाना / Fresh empanelment of Nehru Memorial Techno Global Hospital under CGHS, Kolkata.

8.स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. No. 112-55/CGHS/KOL/Empanelment/2026/1979, दिनांक 17.09.2026 – सीजीएचएस, कोलकाता के अंतर्गत द कलकत्ता मेडिकल रिसर्च इंस्टीट्यूट का नवीन पैनल में शामिल किया जाना / Fresh empanelment of The Calcutta Medical Research Institute under CGHS, Kolkata.

9. भारत सरकार, कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., Dept. of Per. & Trg., O.M. F. No. 12040/26/2023-FTC/IR, dated 08-09-2026 – केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (अवकाश) नियम, 1972 के नियम 56(4) की प्रयोज्यता के संबंध में स्पष्टीकरण / Clarification regarding applicability of Rule 56 (4) of CCS (Leave) Rules, 1972.

10.भारत सरकार, कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., Dept. of Per. & Trg., O.M. No. F. No. 31011/15/2022-Estt-A-IV, dated 09-09-2026 – केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (अवकाश यात्रा रियायत) नियम, 1988 – पूर्वोत्तर क्षेत्र, जम्मू एवं कश्मीर संघ राज्य क्षेत्र, लद्दाख संघ राज्य क्षेत्र तथा अंडमान एवं निकोबार द्वीप समूह की हवाई यात्रा हेतु छूट को 25.09.2026 से आगे दो वर्ष के लिए बढ़ाया जाना / Central Civil Services (Leave Travel Concession) Rules, 1988 – Relaxation to travel by air to visit North-East Region, UT of Jammu and Kashmir, UT of Ladakh and Andaman and Nicobar Islands – extension for two years beyond 25-9-2026.

11. कार्मिक, लोक शिकायत एवं पेंशन मंत्रालय, कार्मिक एवं प्रशिक्षण विभाग, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. F. No. S.11030/5/4/2023-EHS, दिनांक 01.09.2026 – गंभीर/अंतिम बीमारी से पीड़ित आश्रित पुत्रों के लिए आयु एवं वैवाहिक स्थिति संबंधी मानदंडों में छूट / Relaxation in age and marital status criteria for dependent sons and brothers suffering from critical / terminal illnesses under CGHS / CS (MA) Rules, 1944.

12. स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण मंत्रालय, कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या G.I., M.H. & F.W., O.M. No. S.11030/76/2026-EHS (8398267)/I/3896270/2026, दिनांक 09.09.2026 – सीजीएचएस एवं सीएस (एमए) नियम, 1944 के अंतर्गत मानक डिजिटल प्रोग्रामेबल एवं रिचार्जेबल श्रवण यंत्र की खरीद पर प्रतिपूर्ति हेतु सीमा दर एवं दिशानिर्देशों में संशोधन / Revision of ceiling rate and guidelines for reimbursement of expenses on purchase of Standard Digital Programmable and Rechargeable Hearing Aid under CS (MA) Rules, 1944 and CGHS.

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सहायक आयुक्त(वित्त)

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1. उपायुक्त, के॰ वी॰ एस॰, सभी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय।
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4. प्राचार्य , के॰ वी॰ काठमांडू , मास्को एवं तेहरान ।
5. महासचिव , सभी मान्य संघ ।
6. निदेशक, जीट ग्वालियर , मुंबई , मैसूर , चंडीगढ़ एवं भुवनेश्वर।
7. सहायक आयुक्त,(आई.टी प्रकोष्ठ), के वी एस (मु॰) को के वी एस (मु॰) की वैबसाइट के शीर्ष "सूचना पट(Announcements)" के अंतर्गत अपलोड करने हेतु प्रेषित ।
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Date: 01.09.2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Decentralisation of approval procedure for selected STC-related cases under CGHS – regarding

The undersigned is directed to refer to the existing procedure for processing cases under the Standing Technical Committee (STC) mechanism of CGHS and to the referral guidelines issued from time to time. With a view to streamlining and decentralizing the approval process, the following procedure shall henceforth be followed:

2. This Office Memorandum shall apply to the following categories of cases:

Category	Nature of cases covered
Category–1	All Transplant cases having notified CGHS package rates or guidelines.
Category–2	Listed procedures, devices, and treatment items having notified CGHS rates or guidelines, including TAVI, DBS, IVL, cochlear implants, CPAP, BiPAP, Oxygen concentrators, and Continuous subcutaneous insulin infusion (CSII) pumps.
Category–3	STC-restricted medicines included in the list displayed on the CGHS website, as revised from time to time.
Category–4	Unlisted procedures, investigations, implants, medicines, devices, and other treatments.
Category–5	Robotic surgery for cancer cases.

3. General Guidelines applicable to all categories

(a) No separate referral, permission or endorsement shall be required where treatment is availed at AIIMS, Institutions of National Importance, Tata Memorial Hospital, or any other medical institution under the Central Government or a State Government.

(b) Approval in respect of cases falling under Categories 1 to 5 shall be accorded by the concerned Additional Director, CGHS, within the delegated financial powers, as revised from time to time, subject to fulfilment of the

following conditions:

(i) The case shall be supported by the recommendation, advice or prescription of one Government Specialist of the concerned specialty from any of the institutions referred to in sub-paragraph (a); **or**

(ii) where such recommendation is not available, the case shall be supported by the recommendations, advice or prescriptions of two specialists of the concerned specialty from two different CGHS-empanelled hospitals.

(iii) Each case shall be scrutinised by a three-member Local Technical committee as mentioned in **Annexure -I** before approval is accorded.

(iv) In the case of STC-restricted medicines, the approved indication shall be verified with reference to the approval or regulatory status granted by the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO).

4. The general administrative provisions are enclosed vide **Annexure-I**. The relevant records shall be retained for audit, monthly reports shall be submitted to the Directorate, and the mechanism shall be reviewed every month.

5. All existing Office Memoranda/instructions requiring examination by the Standing Technical Committee (STC) shall stand superseded and subsumed by this Office Memorandum from the date of its issue.

6. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Deputy Secretary

Annexure I: General administrative provisions

Copy to:

1. All Ministries and Departments of the Government of India through the CGHS website
2. Addl. DDG(CGHS) with the directions to monitor the implementation in coordination with AD HQ.
3. Addl. Director, CGHS(HQ)/ Addl. Directors, CGHS of Cities/ Zone with the directions to comply with the provision of instructions above
4. All CGHS Wellness Centres through the concerned AD, CGHS
5. All Pensioner Associations.

6. MCTC, CGHS with the directions to upload the document on CGHS Website (www.cghs.mohfw.gov.in).
7. All HCOs empanelled under CGHS through CGHS website.
8. Director, AIIMS as per list; JIPMER, Puducherry; PGIMER, Chandigarh; CNCI Kolkata & Tata Memorial Hospital, Mumbai
9. Medical Superintendent Safdarjung Hospital, Dr. RML Hospital, Delhi & Sucheta Kriplani Hospital, Delhi
10. C-DAC, Noida, with the request to take necessary action in accordance with the separate functional requirements and implementation instructions to be communicated by the Directorate.
11. CEO & MD NHA with the request to kindly inform the Claim Processing Doctors regarding the referral process.
12. LACs/ ZACs through Addl. Directors, CGHS.
13. Sanctioning Authorities in CGHS.
14. CMO Hospital Cell, CGHS HQ.
15. CMO Hospital Empanelment Cell, CGHS

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1. PPS to the Minister for Health and Family Welfare
2. PPS to the Minister of State (H&FW), MoHFW
3. PPS to Secretary (H&FW), MoHFW
4. PSO/Senior PPS/PPS/PS to Secretary (Personnel), DoPT, MoPPG&P
5. PSO/Senior PPS/PPS/PS to Secretary (DARPG & DoPPW), MoPPG&P
6. PPS to AS & DG CGHS
7. PPS to JS (MoHFW), CGHS

Annexure I

General Administrative Provisions

1. Referral to Directorate/STC

Cases not covered under categories mentioned in the Office Memorandum or exceeding the delegated financial powers of the Additional Director, shall be referred to the Directorate.

2. Technical Committee

A three-member Local Technical Committee, headed by the Additional Director and comprising two GDMOs, preferably possessing qualifications or experience in Medicine and/or Surgery, shall examine the cases placed before it.

3. Documents and Processing Timeline

Complete medical, administrative and financial records, as applicable, shall be placed before the Committee. The concerned office and the Committee shall make reasonable efforts to obtain any deficient documents or clarifications. Deficiencies shall ordinarily be communicated within 3 working days, and a complete case shall ordinarily be decided within 15 working days from the date of receipt of complete documents.

4. Post-facto Approval

Post-facto approval may be considered in an emergency, in unavoidable circumstances, or where prior approval could not be obtained for reasons beyond the control of the beneficiary, subject to supporting records and recorded reasons. Such cases shall undergo the same scrutiny as cases submitted for prior approval and shall not be treated as an automatic entitlement.

5. Detailed operational guidelines, monitoring and reporting requirements, digital functionality and standard formats shall be issued separately by the Directorate.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub.: Fresh Empanelment of Private Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Chennai Reg.

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In pursuance of Ministry's O.M. F.No. 5-34/CGHS/HEC(HQ)/2025 dated 22/12/2025, M/s. Aswin Polyclinic Private Limited, Coimbatore is empanelled under CGHS Chennai with effect from **24/08/2026** for a period of three years as per the terms and conditions of empanelment laid down in the MOA.

Sl. No.	Name of the Health Care Organization	Contact Details	Empanelment details
1.	M/s. Aswin Polyclinic Private Limited, No. 545, 1 Alamu Nagar, Sathy Road, BKR Nagar, Coimbatore – 641 012.	Tel. No. 0422-2525252 Mob. No. 9787730400 e-mail: ashwinhospitalcbe@gmail.com Contact Person : Mr. M. Elango, General Manager, Mobile : 8610300054 Tel.No. 0422-4389966 e-mail: ashwinhospitalcoo@gmail.com	Multispeciality Hospital Category. All the facilities available in the Hospital Accreditation. NABH Entry Level

ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR
CGHS CHENNAI

To:

1. M/s. Aswin Polyclinic Private Limited, No. 545, 1Alamu Nagar, Sathy Road, BKR Nagar, Coimbatore – 641 012.
2. The Director, CGHS, DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
3. The Addl. Dy. Director General, CGHS (HQ), DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
4. All CMO I/c's CGHS Wellness Centres / Polyclinics / CMS / MRC /B6 Unit / Notice Board.
5. M.C.T.C, New Delhi – 110 023.
6. Pay and Accounts Office, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Chennai.
7. National Health Authority.
8. Concerned Hospital Folder.
9. Dr. Rakesh Ranjan, Medical Officer (AIAHL Medical Cell), 2nd Floor, Air India Reservation Building, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi – 110 003.
10. The UTI-ITSL.

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File No. Z/28015/CGHS/BNG/EMP/2025/ Date: 08.09.2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Empanelment of Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Bengaluru
Ref: File No. Z/28015/CGHS/BNG/EMP/2025, Dt. 30.03.2026

With reference to the above subject, the empanelment of ***M/s Kamakshi Hospital, Mysuru*** with CGHS Bengaluru is hereby extended up to **31.03.2029**, subject to the timely renewal of its NABH accreditation, as the hospital is currently **NABH Entry Level accredited** (valid up to 09.03.2028).

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Additional Director
CGHS Bengaluru

To
1) The Concerned Hospital
2) All CMO I/Cs of Wellness Centers under CGHS Bengaluru
3) The Director, CGHS
4) MCTC for uploading in CGHS website.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub.: Fresh Empanelment of Private Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Chennai Reg.

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In pursuance of Ministry's O.M. F.No. 5-34/CGHS/HEC(HQ)/2025 dated 22/12/2025, M/s. Metropolis Healthcare Limited, Chennai is empanelled under CGHS Chennai with effect from **08/09/2026** for a period of three years as per the terms and conditions of empanelment laid down in the MOA.

Sl. No.	Name of the Health Care Organization	Contact Details	Empanelment details
1.	M/s. Metropolis Healthcare Limited, No. 3, Jagannathan Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai – 600 034.	Mob. No. 72000 92852 e-mail: listercorporate@metropolisindia.com Contact Person : Mrs. Vicithra, Manager-Corporate Mobile : 7338722192 e-mail: vicithra.lm@metropolisindia.com	Diagnostic Laboratory All the facilities available in the HCO Accreditation. NABL (Valid upto 11/08/2029)

ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR
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To:

1. M/s. Metropolis Healthcare Limited, No. 3, Jagannathan Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai – 600 034.
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub.: Fresh Empanelment of Private Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Chennai Reg.

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In pursuance of Ministry's O.M. F.No. 5-34/CGHS/HEC(HQ)/2025 dated 22/12/2025, M/s. Faith Multispeciality Hospital, Chennai is empanelled under CGHS Chennai with effect from **10/09/2026** for a period of three years as per the terms and conditions of empanelment laid down in the MOA.

Sl. No.	Name of the Health Care Organization	Contact Details	Empanelment details
1.	M/s. Faith Multispeciality Hospital Old No. 96 & 97, New No. 116 & 117, Perumal Koil South Mada Street, Villivakkam, Chennai – 600 049.	Tel. No. 044-47203968/43594165/ 43584333 e-mail: enquiry@faithhospitals.com Contact Person : Mr. V. Udhayasooriyan Public Relation Officer Mobile : 9500170383 e-mail: insurance@faithhospitals.com	Multispeciality Hospital Category. All the facilities available in the Hospital Accreditation. NABH Entry Level

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1. M/s. Faith Multispeciality Hospital, Old No. 96 & 97, New No. 116 & 117, Perumal Koil South Mada Street, Villivakkam, Chennai – 600 049.
2. The Director, CGHS, DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
3. The Addl. Dy. Director General, CGHS (HQ), DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
4. All CMO I/c's CGHS Wellness Centres / Polyclinics / CMS / MRC /B6 Unit / Notice Board.
5. M.C.T.C, New Delhi – 110 023.
6. Pay and Accounts Office, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Chennai.
7. National Health Authority.
8. Concerned Hospital Folder.
9. Dr. Rakesh Ranjan, Medical Officer (AIAHL Medical Cell), 2nd Floor, Air India Reservation Building, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi – 110 003.
10. The UTI-ITSL.

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No.A.III/CGHS/C/Emp. of Hospitals/2026/1496 Dated : 16/9/2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub.:- Discontinuation/De-empanelment of existing CGHS empanelled Health Care Organisations (HCOs) whose empanelment has not been renewed – CGHS, Chennai – reg.

Ref.:- O/o. the Director, CGHS, (MoHFW) New Delhi's O.M. F.No. 5-34/CGHS(HQ)/HEC/2025 dated 15/9/2026.

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In pursuance of Ministry's Office Memorandum dated 15/9/2026 (copy enclosed) on the subject mentioned above, the following HCOs whose empanelment has not been renewed, shall be discontinued/de-empanelled from the CGHS, Chennai panel and blocked/deactivated on HEM/TMS 2.0 with effect from 16/9/2026 at 12.00 AM as per the terms and conditions laid down in the said O.M.

Sr. No.	Name of the HCO	Place	HCO ID	Sub-category
1	Billroth Hospital	Chennai	HOSP33P129804	Multispeciality
2	Soundarapandian Bone & Joint Hospital	Chennai	HOSP33P126340	Multispeciality
3	Trinity Acute Care Hospital	Chennai	HOSP33P129976	Multispeciality
4	CSI Rainy Multispeciality Hospital	Chennai	HOSP33P128211	Multispeciality
5	Medway Hospitals	Chennai	HOSP33P169209	Multispeciality
6	KKR ENT Hospital and Research Institute Pvt. Ltd.	Chennai	HOSP33P128285	Multispeciality
7	Ambuja Dental Clinic	Chennai	HOSP33P168174	Dental
8	Prompt and Precise Diagnostic Pvt. Ltd.	Chennai	LABP33589128467	Lab/Diagnostic
9	Life Cell International Pvt. Ltd.	Chennai	LABP33568209853	Lab/Diagnostic
10	Dr. K.K. Surgical and Paediatric Centre Private Limited	Chennai	HOSP33P203318	Eye

ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR
CGHS, CHENNAI

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To:

1. All Concerned HCOs.
2. The Director, CGHS, DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
3. The Addl. Dy. Director General, CGHS (HQ), DGCGHS, MoHFW, New Delhi.
4. All CMO I/c's CGHS Wellness Centres / Polyclinics - This may be placed on the Notice Board.
5. CMO I/c, CMS / Accounts Section (MRC /B6 Unit) / Notice Board.
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11. The UTI-ITSL.
12. ZAC/LAC Members.

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Central Government Health Scheme
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अपर निदेशक का कार्यालय
केन्द्रीय सरकार स्वास्थ्य योजना
6, एस्पलानेड, पूर्व, कोलकत्ता – 69

No. 112-55/CGHS/KOL/Empanelment/2026/ 1978 **Date: 17th September 2026**

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Fresh empanelment of Private Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Kolkata– regd.

In pursuance of the Ministry's OM F. No. 5-34/CGHS/HEC/HQ/2025 dated 22nd December 2025, **Nehru Memorial Techno Global Hospital,** 6, Barasat Rd, near Lalakuthi, More, Barrackpore, West Bengal 700120 is empaneled under CGHS Kolkata with effect from **17th September 2026** for a period of 3 (three) years as per the Terms & Conditions of empanelment laid down in the Memorandum of Agreement.

S. N	Name of the HCO	Contact Details	Empanelment Details	City
01.	Nehru Memorial Techno Global Hospital 6, Barasat Rd, near Lalakuthi, More, Barrackpore, West Bengal 700120 **HOSP19P26116251**	1. Ms. Jayanti Chaudhuri Mob No. 9014339534 - 2. Mr. Tushar Mob No. 83369 64981 Email tpa@technoglobalhospital.com jayantic@technoglobalhospital.com	Multi-Specialty Hospital **NABH accredited**	Tier – I

(Additional Director)
CGHS Kolkata
अपर निदेशक
Additional Director
केन्द्रीय सरकार स्वास्थ्य योजना
Central Government Health Scheme
कोलकाता / Kolkata

To,

The Authorized Signatory Nehru Memorial Techno Global Hospital, 6, Barasat Rd, near Lalakuthi, More, Barrackpore, West Bengal 70012 **(tpa@technoglobalhospital.com)**

1. The Director, (CGHS) Directorate General of CGHS, MoH&FW, CGHS Bhawan, Sector – 13, R. K. Puram, New Delhi – 110 066.
2. Sr. CMO (SAG), MCTC, Kalibari, New Delhi –110 011, with a request to kindly update the same in the CGHS website.
3. National Health Authority of India, 3rd, 7th & 9th Floor, Tower-L, Jeevan Bharti, Janpath, Connaught Place, New Delhi, Delhi 110001. (convergence.cons12@nha.gov.in)
4. The UTIITSL, UTI Infrastructure Technology & Services Limited, Plot No. 3, Sector 11, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai – 400614 **(c.shantisagar@utiitsl.com, rinku.chhabra@utiitsl.com)**
5. All Additional Directors of CGHS cities in India (through website of CGHS).
6. All Pay & Account Offices under CGHS (through website of CGHS).
7. Sr. Accounts Officer, Pay & Accounts Office, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Kolkata, 8th Esplanade East, Kolkata – 700 069.
8. CMO I/Cs of all Wellness Centers & Polyclinic, under the jurisdiction of CGHS Kolkata, to display the OM in the notice board.
9. CMO (RH-I) / CMO (RH-II) / CMO (RH-III) / CMO (DDO) / CMO (MSD) / Nodal Officer / Welfare Officer, CGHS Kolkata.
10. Notice Board, Administrative Office.

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No. 112-55/CGHS/KOL/Empanelment/2026/1979 **Date: 17th September 2026**

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Fresh empanelment of Private Health Care Organizations (HCOs) under CGHS Kolkata– regd.

In pursuance of the Ministry's OM F. No. 5-34/CGHS/HEC/HQ/2025 dated 22nd December 2025, The Calcutta Medical Research Institute, 7/2 DH Road, Kolkata, West Bengal – 700027 is empaneled under CGHS Kolkata with effect from **17th September 2026** for a period of 3 (three) years as per the Terms & Conditions of empanelment laid down in the Memorandum of Agreement.

S. N	Name of the HCO	Contact Details	Empanelment Details	City
01.	The Calcutta Medical Research Institute, 7/2 DH Road, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700027 **HOSP19P201404**	1. Najimuddin Mallick Mob No. 8900224780 najimuddin.mallick@ckbirlahospitals.com 2. Rama Sanyal Mob No. 98745 48674 rama.sanyal@ckbirlahospitals.com	Multi-Specialty Hospital **NABH accredited**	Tier – I

17.9.26
(Additional Director)
CGHS Kolkata

To,

1. The Authorized Signatory The Calcutta Medical Research Institute, 7/2 DH Road, Kolkata, West Bengal – 700027 (**rama.sanyal@ckbirlahospitals.com**)
2. The Director, (CGHS) Directorate General of CGHS, MoH&FW, CGHS Bhawan, Sector – 13, R. K. Puram, New Delhi – 110 066.
3. Sr. CMO (SAG), MCTC, Kalibari, New Delhi –110 011, with a request to kindly update the same in the CGHS website.
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9. CMO I/Cs of all Wellness Centers & Polyclinic, under the jurisdiction of CGHS Kolkata, to display the OM in the notice board.
10. CMO (RH-I) / CMO (RH-II) / CMO (RH-III) / CMO (DDO) / CMO (MSD) / Nodal Officer / Welfare Officer, CGHS Kolkata.
11. Notice Board, Administrative Office.

F.No.12040/26/2023-FTC/IR
Government of India
Department of Personnel and Training
(Training Wing)
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Block IV, Old JNU Campus, New Delhi
Dated 08.09.2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Clarification regarding applicability of Rule 56(4) of CCS (Leave) Rules, 1972- reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject cited above regarding the applicability of Clause 56(4) of CCS (Leave) Rules, 1972 and say that the matter has been examined in the light of the clarification received from the Leave & Allowance Division, DoP&T.

2. It has been clarified that the provision contained in Clause 56(4), regarding adjustment of the amount received as scholarship/ stipend/remuneration in respect of part-time employment against the Leave Salary payable, is applicable to **Study Leave availed both within India and outside India**.

3. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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To,

All Ministries/Departments in Government of India

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F.No.31011/15/2022-Estt-A-IV
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training
(Personnel Policy Division)
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Kartavaya Bhawan-3, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 09th September, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Central Civil Services (Leave Travel Concession) Rules, 1988 – Relaxation to travel by air to visit North East Region, UT of Jammu & Kashmir, UT of Ladakh and Andaman & Nicobar Islands – extension for two years beyond 25.09.2026 – regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OM No. 31011/15/2022-Estt.A-IV dated 17.09.2024 regarding relaxation to travel by air to visit North East Region, UT of Jammu & Kashmir, UT of Ladakh and Andaman & Nicobar Islands and to say that in relaxation to CCS (LTC) Rules, 1988, the scheme allowing Government servants to travel by air to the above-mentioned regions is extended for a further period of two years, w.e.f. 26th September, 2026 till **25th September, 2028.**

2. The above Special Dispensation Scheme is subject to the following terms & conditions: -

i. All eligible Government servants may avail LTC to visit any place in NER/A&N/J&K/Ladakh against the conversion of their one Home Town LTC in a four years' block period.

ii. Government servants, whose Home Town and Headquarters/place of posting are same, are not allowed the conversion of any Home Town LTC as they are not eligible for the Home Town LTC facility.

iii. The Government servant whose Home Town is situated in NER/A&N/J&K/Ladakh will also be allowed conversion of Home Town LTC for availing this Scheme to visit any place in any one of the three regions out of the above mentioned four regions except the region wherein his/her Hometown is situated.

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iv. Fresh Recruits are also allowed conversion of one of the three Home Town LTCs in a block of four years, applicable to them to visit NER/A&N/J&K/Ladakh. In addition, they are allowed one additional conversion of Home Town LTC to visit UT of J&K/UT of Ladakh in a block of four years.

v. Government servants entitled to travel by air may avail this concession from their Headquarters in their entitled class of air by any airlines subject to the terms and conditions as enumerated in DoPT's OM. No. 31011/12/2022-Estt.A-IV dated 29.08.2022 read with DoPT's OM No. 31011/11/2023 - Pers. Policy A-IV dated 20.10.2023 (copies enclosed).

vi. Government servants not entitled to travel by air are allowed to travel by air in Economy class by any airlines subject to the terms and conditions as enumerated in DoPT's OM No. 31011/12/2022-Estt.A-IV dated 29.08.2022 read with DoPT's OM No. 31011/11/2023 - Pers. Policy A-IV dated 20.10.2023 in the following sectors: -

a. Between Kolkata/Guwahati and any place in NER.
b. Between Kolkata/Chennai/Visakhapatnam and Port Blair.
c. Between Delhi/Amritsar and any place in J&K/Ladakh.

Journey for these non-entitled employees from their Headquarters upto Kolkata/Guwahati/Chennai/Visakhapatnam/Delhi/Amritsar shall be undertaken as per their entitlement.

vii. Air travel by Government employees to NER, J&K, Ladakh and A&N as mentioned in para (v) and (vi) above is allowed irrespective of whether they avail the concession against Anywhere in India LTC or in lieu of the Home Town LTC, as permitted.

viii. Government servants not entitled to travel by air are also allowed to travel by air in Economy class by any airlines to any place in NER/A&N/J&K/Ladakh from their Headquarters directly, however, the reimbursement will be subject to the conditions as enumerated in DoPT's OM No. 31011/12/2022-Estt.A-IV dated 29.08.2022.

ix. The instructions regarding booking of air tickets through authorized travel agents, best available fares, slots, booking time, advances, reimbursement, etc., as mentioned in DoPT's OM No. 31011/12/2022-Estt.A-IV dated 29.08.2022 read with DoPT's OM No. 31011/11/2023 - Pers. Policy A-IV dated 20.10.2023 will also be applicable for this Special Dispensation Scheme.

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3. All the Ministries/Departments are advised to bring it to the notice of all their employees that any misuse of LTC will be viewed seriously and the employees will be liable for appropriate action under the rules. In order to keep a check on any kind of misuse of LTC, Ministries/Departments are advised to randomly get some of the air tickets submitted by the officials verified from the airlines concerned with regard to the actual cost of air travel *vis-a-vis* the cost indicated on the air tickets submitted by the officials.

4. In so far as the persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department are concerned, these orders are issued in consultation with the Comptroller & Auditor General of India, as mandated under Article 148(5) of the Constitution of India.

5. Hindi version will follow.

09/09/26

(Rohit Kumar)
Under Secretary to the Government of India
Tel: 24010436

To

The Secretaries
All Ministries/ Departments of the Government of India
(As per the standard list)

Copy to:

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7. Lok Sabha/ Rajya Sabha Secretariat.
8. All Attached and Subordinate Offices of Ministry of Personnel, P.G. & Pensions.
9. Hindi Section for Hindi version.

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F. No. S.11030/54/2023-EHS(8248513)/I/3893459/2026
Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
(EHS Section)
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Kartavya Bhavan-1, New Delhi
Dated: 01-09-2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Relaxation in age and marital status criteria for dependent sons and brothers suffering from critical/terminal illnesses under CGHS/CS(MA) Rules, 1944 – reg.

In the light of the subject pertaining to critical/terminal illnesses, the following modifications shall come into force. The details of modifications/relaxations is as follows:

2. As per the extant CGHS guidelines, an unmarried dependent son is eligible for CGHS facilities up to the age of 25 years, subject to the prescribed conditions. A permanently disabled unmarried son is eligible for CGHS facilities for life, subject to the applicable conditions. Similarly, a dependent brother is ordinarily eligible up to the age of 18 years, while a disabled dependent brother may be covered without any age limit.

3. At present, dependent daughters and sisters are already eligible for CGHS facilities, subject to fulfilment of prescribed conditions. Divorced/abandoned/separated from husband/widowed daughters and sisters are also eligible for CGHS facilities under the existing provisions.

4. With the approval of the competent authority, it has now been decided that CGHS/medical attendance facilities may be extended for life to those dependent sons and brothers, who are suffering from critical/terminal illnesses, subject to fulfilment of the prescribed dependency conditions and assessment by the competent Medical Board. Accordingly, the following provisions shall be applicable:

(i) **Indicative nature of illnesses:** The provisions are intended to cover chronic, severe, critical or terminal illnesses resulting in substantial and continuing functional impairment or inability to earn a livelihood/self-sufficiency. These may, inter alia, include advanced or life-threatening malignancies, severe neurological disorders, end-stage organ diseases requiring long-term treatment/support, severe congenital or genetic disorders, and other chronic multi-system or debilitating conditions of comparable severity.

(ii) **Eligibility:** Eligibility shall be determined on a case-to-case basis, taking into account the chronic/severe/critical or terminal nature of the disease, extent of functional impairment in day-to-day life, ability of the dependent to earn a livelihood or attain self-sufficiency and continuing dependency. In cases involving multi-system diseases or complex medical conditions, the concerned specialist(s) shall assess the clinical condition and functional impairment.

(iii) **CGHS beneficiaries:** In the case of CGHS beneficiaries, eligibility shall be assessed and recommended by decentralised Medical Boards to be constituted at the level of Additional Directors/CGHS Regional Headquarters, as applicable. An Appellate Medical Board shall be constituted at CGHS Headquarters for consideration of appeals/references against the recommendations of the decentralised Medical Boards.

(iv) **CS(MA) beneficiaries:** In the case of beneficiaries covered under the CS(MA) Rules, 1944, eligibility shall be assessed and recommended by the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS).

(v) **Marital status:** Marriage shall not constitute a ground for cessation of CGHS/medical attendance facilities in respect of a dependent son or brother covered under these provisions, whether on account of critical/terminal illness or permanent disability, provided the prescribed dependency conditions continue to be satisfied and the competent Medical Board/authority recommends continuation of coverage.

(vi) **Scope of relaxation:** The relaxation of the marital-status condition shall not result in any expansion of the definition of "family" under the applicable rules. The benefit shall remain confined to the eligible dependent son or brother and shall not extend to his spouse or children.

(vii) **Review of medical criteria:** The medical criteria and disease profile for such cases shall be treated as a living framework and may be periodically reviewed/revised by the designated CGHS Board in consultation with appropriate medical specialists.

This has the approval of the competent authority. These instructions shall come into force with immediate effect.

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SONIKA KHATTAR
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(Sonika Khattar)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India
Tel. No. 011-24013215

To

All Ministries/Departments concerned.

Copy also to:

1. Director, CGHS.
2. All Additional Directors, CGHS.
3. Director General of Health Services.

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PSO to Secretary(HFW)/Sr. PPS to AS&DG(CGHS)/ PPS to JS(CGHS)

No. S.11030/76/2026-EHS(8398267)/I/3896270/2026
Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
[EHS Section]
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Kartavya Bhavan-1, New Delhi
Dated: 09-09-2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of ceiling rate and guidelines for reimbursement of expenses on purchase of Standard Digital Programmable and Rechargeable Hearing Aid under CS(MA) Rules, 1944 and CGHS - reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's Office Memorandum No. S.11011/37/2019-EHS dated 01.12.2020 on the above subject and to state that, on the basis of the recommendations of the Technical Committee and with the concurrence of the Integrated Finance Division, it has been decided to revise the ceiling rate and guidelines for reimbursement of hearing aids under CS(MA) Rules, 1944 and CGHS.

2. The revised reimbursable category and ceiling rate for hearing aid shall be as under:

Reimbursable item	**Maximum admissible ceiling**	**Remarks**
Standard Digital Programmable and Rechargeable Hearing Aid (Digital BTE and Digital ITC/CIC) *	Actual expenditure or ₹30,000/- per ear, whichever is lower	Ceiling inclusive of GST and all other applicable taxes. Complete usable package and three-year comprehensive warranty included. No separate reimbursement for GST, standard charger, ordinary fitting components, programming, fitting, verification, counselling or routine maintenance. For clinically justified bilateral fitting: up to ₹60,000/-, subject to actual expenditure.

*The above reimbursable item shall be clinically prescribed and shall conform to the minimum functional specification prescribed at **Annexure-I** to this Office Memorandum

Body-worn/pocket type and analogue BTE hearing aids shall continue to remain excluded from reimbursement.

3. Beneficiaries covered under CS(MA) Rules/CGHS shall be eligible to obtain hearing aids as per the following guidelines:

i. Patients/beneficiaries shall be properly referred to an ENT Specialist of CGHS/Government Hospital/CGHS empanelled Hospital by the Medical Officer of CGHS where ever applicable from the CGHS Wellness Centre/AMA, as applicable in the case of a CS(MA) beneficiary.

ii. The ENT Specialist shall recommend the hearing aid on the basis of audiometric and audiological assessment. The prescription shall specify the clinical requirement and required acoustic output based on the beneficiary's audiological assessment and shall not specify or recommend any particular brand, manufacturer, make or commercial model. The Audiogram Report shall be duly authenticated by the treating ENT Consultant of CGHS/Government Hospital/CGHS empaneled Hospital.

iii. Permission to procure the hearing aid shall be granted by the Additional Director of the CGHS city in the case of CGHS pensioner beneficiaries, and by the Head of Department/Office in the case of serving employees and beneficiaries of Autonomous Bodies, on the basis of recommendation of the competent ENT Specialist and an undertaking, in the format prescribed at **Annexure-II**, that the beneficiary has not been reimbursed the cost of a hearing aid during the preceding five years.

4. Reimbursement claim shall be submitted to the office of the Additional Director city through the In-charge of the concerned Wellness Centre in the case of CGHS pensioner beneficiaries, and to the concerned Ministry/Department/Office in the case of serving employees and to the concerned Autonomous Body in the case of beneficiaries of Autonomous Bodies, in the prescribed medical reimbursement claim form along with the following documents:

a. Referral letter from the CGHS Wellness Centre where ever applicable , including the computerized referral slip wherever computerization is already operational.

b. Copy of the prescription of the ENT Consultant of CGHS/Government Hospital/CGHS empaneled Hospital, along with the Audiogram Report duly authenticated by the treating ENT Consultant.

c. Copy of the CGHS Card.

d. Bill/tax invoice in original carrying details of the hearing-aid seller/service provider, including name, qualification and RCI/MCI registration number, as applicable, and details of the hearing aid supplied, including serial number, amount paid and GST/tax particulars.

e. Permission letter to purchase the hearing aid, in original.

f. Empty box/boxes or carton(s) with the original label showing the details of the hearing aid supplied.

g. Documentary evidence that the supplied hearing aid conforms to the notified minimum functional specification, together with the fitting/programming and verification record.

h. Three-year comprehensive warranty certificate and relevant authorised-supply documentation. Reimbursement shall be restricted to the actual amount paid as supported by a valid invoice or ₹30,000/- per ear, whichever is lower. The ceiling is inclusive of GST and all other applicable taxes. Any expenditure in excess of the prescribed ceiling shall be borne by the beneficiary.

5. Records of permissions granted for procurement of hearing aids shall be maintained by CGHS in respect of pensioner CGHS beneficiaries and by the concerned Ministry/Department/Office in respect of other beneficiaries.

6. Replacement of a hearing aid may be permitted only after completion of five years from the date of purchase/reimbursement of the previous hearing aid. No condemnation certificate shall be required for replacement of a hearing aid that has completed the prescribed five-year period.

7. Maintenance and repair after expiry of the three-year comprehensive warranty, and the cost of replacement batteries or other consumables required thereafter, shall be the responsibility of the beneficiary.

8. The revised rate and guidelines shall come into force from the date of issue of this Office Memorandum and shall supersede the provisions of Office Memorandum No. S.11011/37/2019-EHS dated 01.12.2020 to the extent relating to hearing-aid categories, ceiling rates and reimbursement conditions covered herein.

9. This issues with the concurrence of the Integrated Finance Division vide CD No. 1917 dated 02.09.2026 and with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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(Sonika Khattar)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India
Tel. No. 011-24013215

To,

1. All Ministries/Departments, Government of India.
2. PPS to Secretary (H&FW)/Secretary (AYUSH)/Secretary (HR), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.
3. PPS to DGHS/AS&DG (CGHS)/AS&FA and other concerned senior officers, MoHFW, New Delhi.
4. Additional Director (HQ), CGHS, New Delhi.
5. All Additional Directors/Joint Directors of CGHS cities.
6. Rajya Sabha/Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
7. Registrar, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.
8. U.P.S.C., Dholpur House, New Delhi.
9. Office of the Comptroller & Auditor General of India, Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Marg, New Delhi.
10. Integrated Finance Division, MoHFW, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. Deputy Secretary (Civil Service News), Department of Personnel & Training, Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi.
12. Secretary, Staff Side, National Council (JCM), Ferozshah Road, New Delhi, and all Staff Side Members of National Council (JCM).
13. ED(H)/Planning, Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
14. Central Organisation, ECHS, Department of Ex-Servicemen Welfare, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.
15. Chairman, Employees' State Insurance Corporation, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Panchdeep Bhawan, New Delhi.
16. Hindi Section, MoHFW, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi, for Hindi version of this O.M.
17. Guard file.

ANNEXURE-I

MINIMUM FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS
Standard Digital Programmable and Rechargeable Hearing Aid

The requirements are functional and brand-neutral.

Requirement	Minimum acceptable condition
Technology	Fully digital and computer programmable; current, non-discontinued model.
Frequency adjustment	At least 8 independent frequency channels/bands, or documented functionally equivalent processing architecture.
Compression	Multichannel wide-dynamic-range compression with programmable gain.
Listening programmes	Automatic programme plus at least 3 selectable/programmed listening programmes.
Speech in noise	Directional or equivalent microphone-based speech enhancement and digital noise reduction.
Feedback control	Digital adaptive feedback cancellation.
Output safety	Programmable maximum power/output control appropriate to the authenticated audiogram.
Fine-tuning	Data logging and facility for in-clinic reprogramming through current OEM fitting software.
Clinical range	Gain/output and coupling selected by the audiologist for the beneficiary's measured hearing loss.
Power source	Rechargeable; the standard charger is mandatory within the quoted package.
Identification	Make, model, serial number and applicable regulatory/licence particulars on device documents and invoice.
Warranty	Minimum 3-year comprehensive warranty on device and standard charger, if supplied.

Note: Optional premium features, including wireless streaming or app-based functions, shall not by themselves entitle the beneficiary to reimbursement beyond the prescribed ceiling.

ANNEXURE-II

UNDERTAKING BY THE BENEFICIARY

For Purchase / Replacement and Reimbursement of Hearing Aid under CGHS / CS(MA) Rules

Name of beneficiary	
CGHS Beneficiary ID / Card No.	
Status	Pensioner / Serving Employee / Dependent / Other: _____
Parent CGHS Wellness Centre / Office	
Mobile No.	
Date of ENT prescription / Audiogram	

I, the above-named beneficiary, hereby solemnly undertake and declare as under:

1. I have been clinically prescribed a hearing aid by the competent ENT Specialist on the basis of my audiometric/audiological assessment.

2. I have not been reimbursed the cost of a hearing aid, nor obtained a hearing aid at Government expense under CGHS/CS(MA) Rules, during the preceding five years from the date of the present request.

3. I shall purchase a hearing aid conforming to the minimum functional specifications prescribed at Annexure-I and consistent with the clinical and acoustic requirements recorded in the authenticated prescription/audiogram.

4. I understand that the maximum admissible reimbursement is the actual expenditure incurred or ₹30,000/- per ear, whichever is lower, and that the said ceiling is inclusive of GST and all other applicable taxes.

5. I understand that no separate reimbursement is admissible for the standard charger, ordinary fitting components, programming, fitting, verification, counselling or routine follow-up services forming part of the complete usable package.

6. Where the device selected by me costs more than the prescribed ceiling, or includes optional/premium features, I shall bear the excess expenditure myself and shall not claim the same from CGHS/CS(MA).

7. I shall not claim or receive duplicate reimbursement for the same hearing aid from any other Government Department, employer, insurance mechanism or public authority.

8. The documents, invoice and particulars submitted by me in support of permission/reimbursement shall be genuine and relate to the hearing aid actually supplied to me. I undertake to refund any amount found to have been reimbursed contrary to the applicable rules/orders.

I certify that the above declaration is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place: _____ Signature of Beneficiary: _____

Date: _____ Name: _____

CGHS Beneficiary ID _____

Mobile No.: _____